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For: ARTIFACT REDUCTION FOR VOLUME ACQUISITION	)

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Transmitted herewith in the above-identified patent application are the following:

- Amendment in response to an Office Action mailed September 22, 2006; and
- A new fee as calculated below:

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Total Claims	24	Minus	24	0	× \$50	\$0
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#### RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated Sept. 22, 2006, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

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